

Pickens Sentinel-Journal

Happenings of a Local and Personal Nature.

The Vote in Pickens.

In the election last week 1297 votes were cast for Presidential electors, of which Bryan received 1241 and Taft 56. Taft carried one small precinct (Antioch) in this county. Aiken received 1298 votes. In the state and county box, 1245 ballots were polled.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Boggs spent the week end with friends and relatives in Calhoun.

The Town Creek school commences Monday, 16th inst., with Miss Ella Looper as teacher.

Dr. A. C. Spain, dentist, will be in Pickens on the 17th and stay until the 20th; longer if necessary.

Mrs. C. E. Robinson, Misses Nellie Grandy, Lorer a Taylor and Myrtle Holder left Pickens, Monday, for Charleston.

Married, on the 8th inst., at the residence of the officiating notary public, L. L. Smith, Miss F. H. Hitt and B. J. Julian.

Lost—On Saturday, 7th inst., between Central and Pickens, a note-book, containing notes and other papers. Please return to W. C. NEWTON, Pickens, S. C.

Last Sunday afternoon, Nov. 8, Glenn L. Stewart, of the Six Mile vicinity, and Miss Nora Hendrix, of Oconee, were happily married at the home of the officiating minister, Rev. B. C. Atkinson. Congratulations are being extended this young couple for a long and happy life.

Dr. Lawrence Roper left Tuesday night for Pickens, where he will make his future home and continue the practice of his profession. Dr. Roper is an estimable young man, a capital dentist, and Watkinson regrets exceedingly to lose him, but his many friends here wish him abundant success in his old home.—(Oconee Enterprise).

Epworth League recently organized at the Pickens Methodist church starts off most auspiciously. The installation of officers takes place Sunday night and will be public. All persons desiring to attend are cordially invited to do so. Members will be received at any time. Do good and be happy is best exemplified by becoming a member of the Epworth League.

The fourth quarterly conference for this charge was held at the Pickens Methodist church last Saturday. There was a good attendance and a fine financial report was rendered. Presiding Elder Duncan preached, as he did also on Sunday, at 11 a. m., and at night at 7.30 o'clock. He delivered two excellent sermons and greatly delighted his hearers with his discourses.

The union meeting of the Twelve Mile River Baptist Association will meet with Keowee Baptist church the fifth Saturday and Sunday in November. Preaching will be held at 11 a. m. Saturday. Arrangements will be made for Sunday. All ministers and deacons invited to come. All churches invited to send delegates. Everybody invited to come. T. H. STEWART, for committee.

The Methodists of the Pickens circuit are proud of their record this year. The charge has paid double this year what it has been paying heretofore, and Rev. N. G. Ballinger will go up to conference with a clean balance sheet. We understand that representative members of his charge will go up to the annual conference with a memorial petitioning the return of Rev. Ballinger to this charge for another year. We are glad, and when we say this we think we voice the sentiment of the entire community regardless of religious creed, that there is a possibility of his return. He is a consecrated Christian worker and has made many friends all over the charge, outside of his own denomination, who will be glad to see him sent back.

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The poles for Pickens electric plant are being erected. They are very fine ones, of chestnut, and were cut in the mountains above us. They will make our town look more city-like.

Commercial fertilizers will probably be two or three dollars a ton cheaper next year, than this if the price of cotton does not materially advance. We understand that manufacturers are now figuring on cutting prices of their goods.

Do our farmers realize the fact that cotton has all of this season brought a better price in Pickens than in the great markets of Charleston, Columbia, Atlanta or Savannah? Yet this is true. We have watched the market reports each day, and the Pickens buyers often pay out eight of a cent more than the seaport cities—about New York prices. It will pay farmers for a hundred miles or more around to ship their cotton to Pickens and get top-notch prices.

Card of Thanks.

I desire to return my heartfelt and sincere thanks to all my friends who showed me so much kindness during my severe illness with typhoid fever. I take this method to inform all of my friends and my physician that their deeds of kindness will not soon be forgotten, but will linger with me while life lasts, and the fragrance will endure in eternity. May God's richest blessings rest on them all is my prayer. B. F. MURFRE.

VALUABLE LANDS FOR SALE.

I have bought the lands belonging to the estate of Maj. J. J. Lewis, recently advertised for sale. I am now offering them in tracts and on terms to suit purchasers. J. D. HOLDER.

An Acknowledgment.

We, the colored citizens of Pickens and Cross Roads, have been deeply interested in the matter of a cemetery in which to bury our dead, to the extent as to have secured a sufficient sum to purchase two acres of the J. J. Lewis estate for that purpose, on Secona Hill.

This money was raised through subscriptions, donations and assessments, and contributed liberally by both white and colored residents of Pickens. For this reason we extend our heartfelt thanks to all the contributors for aiding us to secure this worthy and much-needed institution.

Very respectfully,

I. S. Ferguson, Wm. Bowen, Henry Lawrence, P. T. Griffin, C. H. Talbert, A. G. Bowen, B. P. Griffin, Bayless Arthur, Wm. Cannon, Cemetery Committee.

A Tribute of Love.

Our hearts have been made sad indeed to know that God in His infinite wisdom has chosen from our midst one of our beloved and faithful Deacons of Mile Creek Baptist church, Brother Isaac Durham. He died August 28, and was buried August 30, 1908. 1st, that while we cannot help but grieve over his departure, yet we as a Christian band, bow in humble submission to the will of Him who doeth all things well. May God help us, too, to be ready to pass through the pearly gates, for we too must go sooner or later to dwell with Jesus in that happy home He has prepared for us. 2d, that we extend our heart-felt sympathy to the bereaved wife and family. May his good works prove to them a bright and shining light, and may they follow the footsteps of Jesus and meet him in Heaven. He cannot come to us but we can go to him. 3d, that a page in our minute book be inscribed to his memory; that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the bereaved wife, a copy to the Baptist Courier, and a copy to the Pickens Sentinel-Journal for publication.

N. D. PARSONS, } Committee.
L. R. DALTON, }
S. B. DALTON. }

For Sale.

Two 2-Horse Farms, known as the B. O. & Beaugard-Ambler farms, and part of the Ambler place in Pickens county.

Terms made to suit purchaser. Apply to

R. L. AMBLER,
Greenville, S. C.

We had our first killing frost of the season last Friday night, when it turned off almost spring-like in temperature. The first cotton bolls are now popping open, and our vines are crowded. And while Taft has been elected that promised advance in the price of cotton has not as yet materialized. The staple seems stuck in the 9 cents notch. But farmers are beginning to sell.

Dr. Lawrence Roper has located in Pickens for the practice of his profession—dentistry, and proposes to do first-class work at reasonable prices. Dr. Roper is a native of our county, but for something over a year had his office in Watkinsonville, Ga., but he thinks Pickens a much more promising field. He tells us that Mr. Bob Ashford, solicitor of the county court of Oconee county, Georgia, has promised to visit Pickens with a view of locating here, as he wants a broader field. Bob Ashford is one of the brightest young lawyers in the South and belongs to one of Georgia's leading and wealthiest families. Dr. Roper says he believes Pickens has a great future and he has driven down his stakes to stay.

EXCURSION RATES

To Charleston, S. C., and return via Southern Railway.

Account Charleston Gals Week Festivities the Southern Railway announces very low round-trip rates from all points in South Carolina and Charlotte and Asheville, N. C., Augusta and Savannah, Ga., and intermediate stations to Charleston, S. C.

Tickets to be sold Nov. 18th to 20th, inclusive, limited for return until Nov. 23d, 1908.

The rate for children between 5 and 12 years of age will be one-half fare.

For rates, detailed information, etc., apply to Southern Railway ticket agents, or address J. C. Lusk, D. P. A., Charleston, S. C.

J. L. MEER, A. G. P. A., Atlanta, Ga.

DR. LAWRENCE ROPER,

DENTIST,

PICKENS, S. C.

CLERK'S SALE.

State of South Carolina,
County of Pickens.

In Common Pleas Court.

In pursuance of a decretal order and an order of foreclosure made on the following-named case, and on file in the Clerk's office, I will sell to the highest bidder, during the legal hours for sale, at Pickens Courthouse, S. C., on Saturday in December, 1908, the following described real estate, upon the terms hereinafter mentioned, to-wit:

W. M. Hagood, et al.,

vs.

M. G. Davis, et al.

All that piece, parcel or tract of land situate in the county and state aforesaid, on headwaters of Crow Creek and East-toe, adjoining lands (formerly) of A. B. Lewis, J. T. Singleton and others, containing one hundred and twenty-five acres, more or less, being the same land brought by M. G. Davis from Levi Spearman.

TERMS—Cash on day of sale, and if not complied with within one hour the land will be resold on same day. Purchaser to pay for all papers and recording the same. A. J. BOGGS, Clerk of Court.

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Rebecca Whitnair, et al.,

vs.

B. D. Lenhardt.

All that piece, parcel and tract of land situate, lying and being in the state and county above named, in Pumpkintown township, on waters of Weaver's creek waters of Oconee river, containing one hundred and five (105) acres, more or less, adjoining lands of Robert Masters, W. T. Burgess and others, and known as a part of the Russ place.

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A. D. Young

vs.

J. W. Young, et al.

All that piece, parcel or tract of land in the county of Pickens, and state aforesaid, containing fifty acres, more or less, and adjoining lands of Mrs. Aurie Fuller and others, being the tract of land deeded to her (Margaret Young) by Joseph Young.

TERMS—One-half cash, balance on a credit of twelve months, credit portion to be secured by the bond of the purchaser or purchasers, and a mortgage of the premises, with interest from day of sale, with leave to the purchaser to pay all cash.

If the terms of the above sale are not complied with in one hour the premises will be resold on same day. Purchaser to pay for all papers and recording the same. A. J. BOGGS, Clerk of Court.

Out For Business

THIS is the time of year when trade is dull and there is not much buying and selling, but we do not know dull days. Our goods and our prices are two things that help to keep our trade up. Our goods are the very best that can be bought at all, and our prices are as low as these same goods can be legitimately sold at.

OUR entire line is complete—no broken lots—and we can supply your wants at all times, in Clothing, Shoes, Hats, Dry Goods, Groceries, Hardware, Furniture, Buggies, Wagons, etc., etc., in fact anything you need can be procured here and at the right prices.

COME to see us, and if you have never traded with us, you will find that we can sell you better goods for less money than you have been paying.

Another car of Majestic Flour, the best made, at \$5.50 per barrel.

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Central, S. C.

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